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Inventor : David W. Duquette et al.

Appln. No.: 09/767,199

Filed : January 22, 2001

For : IMPROVED LASER ALIGN SENSOR
WITH SEQUENCING LIGHT SOURCES

Docket No.: C34.12-0021

Group Art Unit:2877

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS
OF APPLICATION - FILING DATE GRANTED
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.53(f) AND 1.16(e)**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted dated February 27, 2001, Applicant encloses the following documents to complete the above-identified patent application filed January 22, 2001:

1. Our check in the amount of \$806.00 (to cover the filing fee of \$741.00 and surcharge fee of \$65.00).
2. Declaration executed by the inventor(s).
3. Fee Calculation Sheet (duplicate).
4. Notice to File Missing Parts of Application-Filing Date Granted.
5. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status.
6. Power of Attorney by Assignee and Certificate by Assignee Under 37 CFR § 3.73(b).

The Director is authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1123. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,
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01 FG:201	355.00 OP
02 FG:203	306.00 OP
03 FG:202	80.00 OP
04 FG:205	65.00 OP

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 710 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$772.
 - \$612 for 34 total claims over 20.
 - \$160 for 2 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 1612.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

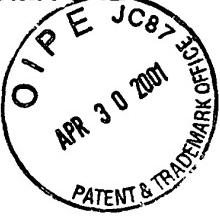
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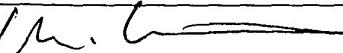
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